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1. ☐ The petition filed on _____ under 37 CFR 1.312(b) is granted. The paper has been forwarded to the examiner for consideration on the merits.
2. ☐ The petition filed on _____ under 37 CFR 1.312(b) is dismissed.
 - a) ☐ The requisite petition fee of \$_____ has not been received.
 - b) ☐ Other :

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3. ☒ The amendment filed on 20 November 2000 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:
 - a) ☐ entered.
 - b) ☒ entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.
 - c) ☐ disapproved. See explanation below.
 - d) ☐ entered in part. See explanation below.



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